Remarks

Claims 35 through 43 remain pending in the application.

Applicant cancels claims 1 through 34. New claims 35 through 43 are directed to methods of polishing a wafer.

Conclusion

Consideration and allowance of the claims is requested.

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